

A Message From Your President



Jessica Emrick Davies | President

The Fundraising Committee did a fantabulous job on the May Fundraiser meeting with a Spa Theme! This very important event for our chapter raised funds for our EWISP and ASIST Scholarships as well as Reading Rally. I was lucky enough to win a Silent Auction Spa Facial. I felt like the luckiest girl in the world when I sat in Jenna's chair for my facial. Beauty Dot does an amazing job and Kristina Helm deserves a pat on the back because she couldn't have done a better job!

We are honored to have our June 19th meeting as a Firm night hosted by the Sedgwick County Zoo! I am excited to hear Jeff Ettling, Executive Director/CEO, present information about the Zoo's Masterplan Phase 1 projects, including the new Visitor Entry Center. This event starts at 6pm instead of our normal start time of 5:30pm, this is due to normal operating hours of the Sedgwick County Zoo. I hope to see you there!

I am so excited for July 17th's meeting! Our guest speaker is Cecily Rodriguez, Founder and Principle, of Shift Happens, LLC. She is originally from Wichita and is a graduate of Kansas State University. Her company is in Buffalo/Niagara New York, supporting small to medium-sized organizations in a variety of ways including talent searches, employee and leadership development, team building, public speaking coaching, meeting facilitation, and more. She will speak on several new issues affecting companies in today's workplace. Her Industry Experience is in Aerospace, Manufacturing, Financial Services, Higher Education, Non-Profit. She was a 2012 Speaker, TEDxBuffaloWomen (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CWZICbcUiyE>).

Her Bio is in this month's Connect for more information! There will be a Q&A session following her presentation. Bring any HR questions you may have, these will be great networking events to bring your Executive and Co-workers to!

Pam Dinwiddie is organizing a group of EWI ladies together to volunteer at the Convoy of Hope's July 20th event! I am honored to serve as your Chapter president this year and I thank you for that privilege. I hope everyone has a safe and enjoyable summer! Thank you for all you do to be engaged with EWI of Wichita and what is happening in our community!

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Committee Updates



Pam Dinwiddie | Vice President

I'm unsure how we've made it to June but we have!

I want to remind everyone that we, as a chapter, would like to volunteer for Convoy of Hope Wichita on July 20, 2019 at 7:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Rain or shine we will be helping the hundreds of folks get to the dozens of things that Convoy of Hope provides such as free groceries, health and dental screenings, haircuts, family portraits, meals, etc.

All of these services are under big tents at the Bethel Life Center and McAdams Park. Convoy of Hope is run by volunteers so our help is needed.

If you'd like to sign up you can go on-line and register: <https://www.volunteerkansas.org/opportunities?k=convoy>

Also I want to share my excitement that we have several chapter members that plan to attend the 72nd Annual Leadership Conference and Annual Meeting (LCAM).

Myself, Jessica Emrick Davies, Davna Gould, Gina Hess and Kristina Helm will be traveling to Milwaukee, WI September 17 - 21 where we'll be at the Pfister Hotel.

Last year was my first LCAM and I experienced a love of Executive Women International that I wouldn't have if I had not gone. The friendships developed not only with chapter members that attended but also throughout the entire organization are phenomenal.

I've used those connections in my position at Textron Aviation...big score for me!!!

It's not too late for you to make your reservation and come experience it for yourself!

www.ewiconnect.com/lcam2019

We'd love to have you!!!



Tracy Lucas | Treasurer

The treasurer's role for EWI of Wichita has been streamlined with improved

functionality to better accommodate a non-financial EWI representative to accept this board position. Processes and "How To" documents have been created, as well as the purchase of a computer with Quickbooks installed. In my opinion, I would recommend and EWI laptop specific to the EWI Treasurer role suggest that any representative looking to grow their set of professional skills take on this role. Non-financial reps may find this role spends an average of 4 hours per month while a financial person - more savvy with Quickbooks - might spend 1-2 hours on average. The position can be broken down into these highlights: Create Invoices (for reps), Deposit Monies (in the bank), Pay Invoices (to vendors), Apply Payments (to reps), create board reports and attend board meetings. There are some other odds/ends associated with this role, but those are the key functions. My experience would also suggest that in the month of December activity and time is increased due to the membership renewal drive, and again in August/September when the EWI fiscal year ends. Books were not closed at the time of this Connect due to timing issues. Updates will provided through other channels.

Respectfully submitted,
Tracy Lucas
Treasurer 2017-2019

Committee Updates



Theresa Hogan | Nominations Committee

The Nomination Committee met on May 29, 2019 to review the Straw Ballot responses.

We have our choices for each of the positions. we are in the process of contacting the nominees to see if they are willing to serve on the Board. Two of the nominees have accepted the nomination. We hope to present the proposed new Board to the current Chapter Board at the June Board meeting and to the Chapter at the June Chapter meeting. So, if a member of the Nomination's Committee calls, **PLEASE**, accept the nomination.

Theresa Hogan
Nomination Committee Chair



Jan Baggett | Membership

The June EWI Meeting is a fabulous time for you to bring a guest, a prospect, a spouse, an Executive or someone in your office. It's going to be a real treat to hear from Dr. Jeff Ettling, Executive Director of the Zoo. And I can't wait to see the new Reed Family Elephants of

Zambezi River Exhibit. It is really all of our jobs to help recruit new members. This is an easy way to show off one of our member firms as well as showcase EWI. This is a great organization that does great things and we need to tout it.

I encourage everyone to work on their own "Elevator Speech" so they can be ready when there is an opportunity to talk to someone about EWI. Mine is: EWI is a great opportunity for someone to develop business relationships and valuable community connections, to grow personally and professionally, to develop leadership experiences, to have a forum to share ideas and promote your firm, and to participate in philanthropic initiatives that make a big difference in the lives of many people in our city. Then I throw in a Connect Newsletter, a current roster and talk about some of the past meetings and the next few coming up. It's that easy! Try it!

Jan Baggett, Co-Chair



Kristina Helm | Fundraising

Spa Night Event SUCCESS- Fundraising Night Tuesday May 21st at Beautydot Medical & Day Spa & Aspen Grey was a HUGE SUCCESS!

We were able to raise \$240.00 on the spa raffle prize giveaway, \$120.00 in the Wine Pull as well as we sold 5 more Tillies 12 Months of Flowers Cards. This was such an AWESOME and informative event. I was so thankful for all the participation we had turn out for the event. Such a wonderful fundraiser for our chapter.

For the Tillies 12 Month of Flowers program we have sold 26 cards so far with a total amount going back to us of \$312.00. **We still have 24 cards remaining to sell for \$30**, so please ask your office staff/co-workers, family & friends if they would like to purchase a card. We have to sell the remainder by 6/17/19 which is the end date for this fundraiser.

Special Thank you to the following firms who donated wine to the Wine Pull event May 21st:

Textron Aviation
Wichita Chamber of Commerce
Berry Companies
Western Associates

Wichita Marriott
Commerce Bank
Allen, Gibbs & Houlik
John A. Marshall Co.
Stoutheart Financial

Respectfully submitted,
Kristina Helm
Director- Fundraising



Jeanetta Bolin | Director-at-Large

A total of 89 applications were received for the ASIST scholarship 78 of the applications

were rejected for various reasons. The judges evaluated the remaining 11 scholarship applications. Of the 11 applications evaluated, 3 applicants tied for first place. Only 3 of the 5 judges completed the evaluations: Danny Bardezban, Jim Means and Pam Doyle. Tracee Adams and Kimberly Schrant did not evaluate any of the applications.

2019 Reading Rally

SAVE THE DATE!! The afternoon of Thursday, October 24th, is the designated date for the EWI Annual 3rd Grade Reading Rally at Colvin Elementary. Dr. Carol Ysidro, a local (Derby) Dentist by day and a children's author in her spare time, has graciously accepted our offer to be the Featured Author for this year's event. The committee has been contacting member firms requesting donations of food and/or items for the event, so we appreciate everyone's generosity! We will also be looking for representatives to help us with any of the following activities:

- Food Service – Help set up, serve and clean up
- Student t-shirt distribution
- Set up writing books, crayons, pencils for the student activity
- Help students write a story
- Distribute school supplies
- Clean up after Reading Rally

Further details will be provided as we get closer to the date, but everyone is welcome to join us! Please contact Tammy Voth (316.517.7097 or tvoth@txtav.com) if you are interested in volunteering at this event or for more information.



Chapter Events



Firm Night **Sedgwick County Zoo** 5555 Zoo Boulevard

June 19, 2019
6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Program: Plans are underway to enjoy an evening in The Reed Family Elephants of the Zambezi River Exhibit. Dr. Jeff Ettling, Executive Director/CEO, looks forward to presenting information about the Zoo's Masterplan Phase 1 projects, including the new Visitor Entry Center. Please plan to attend a safari adventure in June with your spouse/guest and your Executive and their spouse/guest.



Chapter Events – July Chapter Meeting “Shift Happens”



Cecily is founder of Shift Happens, LLC a consulting firm focused on Organizational Development, Human Resources, Career-Coaching, Facilitation, and Team Building.

She has worked in the manufacturing and financial services industries as well as higher education. The bulk of her career has been spent in Human Resources managing a wide variety of responsibilities including talent acquisition, leadership development, learning and development, employee relations, immigration, and global relocations. She spent the better part of her career at Moog Inc., building a multi-million dollar Global Mobility and Immigration program.

Cecily is a certified Professional in Human Resources (PHR) and has earned certifications in Workplace Big 5, MBTI, DiSC, Creative Problem Solving, Leadership Effectiveness Analysis 360 and the Mutual Learning Approach. Her expertise in helping groups work more effectively has taken her across the US, Europe, and Asia-Pacific.

She holds a BA in Journalism & Mass Communication from Kansas State University and MS in Communication & Leadership from Canisius College. In 2012, she had the distinct honor of being the inaugural speaker for TEDxBuffaloWomen delivering a [talk](#) on keeping women in the talent pipeline for leadership roles by implementing flexible work arrangements. She is an adjunct professor at University at Buffalo, a Board member for The Park School of Buffalo, a Women's Business Center Board member, founding member of both Women On The Rise and Women Events Buffalo, and co-president of the Buffalo Alumnae Association of Kappa Kappa Gamma.



Chapter Events – Executive Night

Join us at the **Wichita Marriott**
For Executive Women International
Executive & Scholarship Night

Date: Wednesday, August 14, 2019

Time: 5:30pm Cocktails, Dinner & Program

Location: 9100 Corporate Hills Drive

EWI Non- Profit Focus**EWI-Non Profit Focus**

The Wichita Children's Home has a need for Summer Pajamas. They offer each child that comes in a new pair of pajamas. They don't have any summer pajamas to hand out!





HOPE *for* WICHITA



HOPE STARTS HERE in Wichita, our community, our neighborhood. The Convoy of Hope Wichita event is just the beginning of a long-lasting movement that has the power to transform people's lives, inspire compassion and service, and bring people and organizations together like never before. This is a collaborative effort to bring HOPE to Wichita through free groceries, health screenings, job services, family portraits, haircuts, social services, school supplies, immunizations, activities for children and more.

HOPE STARTS HERE

CONVOY OF HOPE

WICHITA

Here is what we accomplished together:

BETHEL AND MCADAMS

8,146	Guests
1,473	Volunteers
6,000	Backpacks
1,123	NBCF Visitors
5,959	Prayed With
100	Salvations
10,000	Grocery Bags
3,583	Kid's Shoes
1,200	Garden in a Bag
943	Portraits
400	Haircuts
675	Sports/School Physicals
222	Medical Screenings
350	Community Service Guests

HOPE TAKES TEAMWORK

**THANK YOU FOR INVESTING IN
CONVOY OF HOPE WICHITA**

Stacie Cathcart
Director, Convoy of Hope Wichita
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CONVOY OF HOPE

WICHITA

SAVE THE DATE

**SATURDAY
JULY 20, 2019**

**AT BETHEL LIFE CENTER
AND MCADAMS PARK**

VOLUNTEER RALLY

FRIDAY, JULY 19, 7PM
Bethel Life Center
3777 S. Meridian Ave.

Contact Pam Dinwiddie for more information to volunteer with EWI:
pdinwiddie@taxtav.com



IMPORTANT DETAILS REGARDING LCAM 2019 DEADLINES, EVENTS, AND FUNDRAISERS

DEADLINES:

- Early registration price of \$650 **ends June 14, 2019!** After this date, the registration price **increases to \$750.**
- **August 16, 2019** is the last date you can reserve your hotel room at The Pfister Hotel **at the special rate of \$179. Our room block is anticipated to sell out prior to this date, so please don't wait!**

EVENT DETAILS:

Wednesday, 9/18/19

- **Corporate Reading Rally** – Early Wednesday morning you will grab breakfast on the run as you jump on the bus to go to the Corporate Reading Rally. The Reading Rally Committee is working to finalize the program, but the buzz is that there will be an author to read to the children and a Mascot joining you and the kids at EWI's 2019 Corporate Reading Rally "READ TO LEAD."
- **Opening Reception** – Hopefully, your Chapter will have arrived to participate in the opening reception. This event is when we have the opportunity to reunite with our friends from other Chapters and meet new ones! One way to meet new people and break the ice is with our Pin/Sticker Exchange. Most Chapters will bring hat pins or stickers to exchange and collect from each other. It is the perfect networking opportunity! This year, we will be playing BINGO to assist in finding out more about each other while participating in the Chapter Sash Contest to have somewhere to place the pins/stickers besides our lanyards. (See additional details on BINGO and Sash contest under the Contest Details section.)

Thursday, 9/19/19

- **Alumni Experience for AOL Graduates ONLY!**
When creating this year's Alumni Experience, the LCAM Committee was charged with finding something unique that has not been done at an LCAM before and something that shouts Milwaukee. The group assigned to that task came through with flying colors!
 - **MPM Planetarium Show** – We will be treated to a private Wisconsin Skies Stargazing Show. Once we finish with the show, we will get a short behind the scenes tour – "The Dark Side of the Dome". There will be ample time to browse the gift shop before heading back to the hotel for lunch.

- Clock Shadow Creamery - After lunch, we will have the opportunity to explore Milwaukee's only urban cheese factory where we will learn about the history of cheese making and sample their fresh cheese. If weather permits, we'll venture up to their roof top garden.
- Shopping in the Historic Third Ward – Finally, we will travel back across time to the Historic Third Ward to do some shopping. You will find locally owned restaurants, galleries, and boutiques in a historic warehouse setting. The neighborhood is home to the award-winning Third Ward Riverwalk and the nationally acclaimed Milwaukee Public Market. You will be sure to find something of interest.
- **President's Celebration Lunch**
The President's Celebration Luncheon will be held on Thursday instead of at the end of the conference. This provides our Representatives the opportunity to thank each of these wonderful Leaders for all the hard work and dedication that they have shown their Chapters for the past year throughout LCAM and not just at the end of it!
 - If you plan on purchasing corsages or flowers for your out-going President, we are recommending Alfa Flower & Wedding Shop, a member firm of EWI of Milwaukee, located in Milwaukee, WI and their Representative is Katie Grogan-Poulos, Owner and President of the firm.

Alfa has generously offered EWI a discounted rate on the corsages during LCAM 2019. Average pricing on their corsages run \$20-\$25 but they are offering these at a cost of \$15 for EWI. If your budget allows for less or more, not a problem! They will create a nice corsage in any color scheme needed, wrist or pin on.

To see some of their beautiful arrangements and other services, visit their website: www.Alfaflowershop.com. More information, including their special price for corsages, will be available soon.
- **Beach Party!**
Aloha! What a better way to greet each other as we gather at our Beach Party after full day of training? We encourage each of you to come join us dressed in your favorite beach apparel **(NO BATHING SUITS PLEASE)** and join in the fun! There will be music, dancing, great food, photo opportunities, games, more great food, and more dancing! (See additional details on the contests and games in the Contest Details Section.)

Friday, 9/20/19

- **Literacy Luncheon**
Enjoy lunch and hear from the first place 2019 ASIST Scholarship award winner. The 2019 Reading Rally "Read to Lead" Corporate Committee will present a program and share highlights from the event at Next Door of Milwaukee.
- **Drum Café Midwest Team Building Activity**
If you have never attended a meeting where the Drum Café Midwest, you are in for a wonderful experience you will not forget!

Rhythm, drumming and music spark energy in a room and will seem to reach down into your soul. They leverage a universal language that ignites interest and enthusiasm – no matter what

the circumstance. Drum Cafe Midwest raises the bar for making a lasting impression. To learn more, visit their website at: <http://drumcafemidwest.com/milwaukee-wi/>

CONTEST DETAILS:

- **SASH Contest** – Let your creative spirits flow and create a sash that reflects your chapter's city and pride. **One tiny rule:** There needs to be enough room on your sash to place the Chapter pins you collect during our **Opening Reception**.

There will be 3 secret judges who will determine the top 3 winning Chapters. These winners will be announced that evening and the 1st Place Chapter Representatives that are attending LCAM will receive a prize.

- **BINGO** – For those who would like to participate, you will receive a BINGO card and pen when you arrive at the **Opening Reception**. Each card is asking you to Find Someone Who.....One example is "has served as a EWI Chapter Officer". Goal is to have a signature on each block (Coverall BINGO) by the end of the evening.

Rules:

- Neatly print your name at the top of the card.
- You may sign one of the blocks yourself. (Just one)
- All other blocks must be signed by person it applies to.
- Each person can only sign 1 block on the card
- There will be 1 blank block on each card that a person may fill in if nothing on the card fits that person. (Cannot duplicate what is already in a block.)

Hint: As you start talking to someone who has a pin/sticker to exchange, hand your card to them to see if any of the blocks apply to them, than have them print their name on that block. This provides you with the perfect ice breaker so you can learn more about your new friend or something you didn't know about your old ones.

At the end of the evening we will ask that everyone who has COMPLETED their card to place it in our bowl. One winner will be drawn out and awarded a special prize.

- **Limbo Contest** – How low can you go? Let's find out! While at the **Beach Party**, listen for the announcement that the Limbo Contest is about to begin and jump in line to join the fun!

Rules are simple:

- Join the line of participants
- As the music plays, go under the bar without touching it. If you touch the bar, you will be eliminated from the contest
- The bar will be lowered each time the last person in line has successfully gone under it.
- Winner will be the last person to go under the bar without touching it.

Last person to go under the bar without touching it will be the winner and will receive a prize.

- **EWI Feud** – Search the game show Family Feud on Google or You Tube and you get the main idea of how this game works. But since EWI is all about networking, we are adding a bit of a twist to the game. Instead of having the Chapters stick together, we are encouraging Representatives from different Chapters to build their relationship and work as a team. This game will be played at different intervals throughout the **Beach Party**. Those who would like to participate, will receive an item when they arrive that signifies which team they are on. (Please **do not swap items** to get on a different team) When time for the game show, our MC will call your item and your team will assemble to play the game.

Rules:

- Team will consist of 5 people.
- This is a bracket type of game. First team to reach a certain total of points wins the bracket and will be in the finals. Losing team will be eliminated.
- Once all teams have played, the winners will play each other.

Last team standing will be the final winner and will receive a prize.

FUNDRAISING DETAILS:

- **50/50 Raffle**

We will be offering a 50/50 raffle for an LCAM attendee to win 50% of the proceeds collected for this raffle. Tickets will be sold throughout LCAM and on the last day one lucky attendee will be selected during our Closing Luncheon. **The cost is 5 tickets for \$20.**

- **Jewelry Raffle**

This year, we have a beautiful necklace and bracelet to raffle off. The set contains blue sapphire stones and small diamonds to compliment any representative's wardrobe. The tickets sell for **1 ticket for \$10 or 6 tickets for \$50.**

- **No Dirty Dishes Raffle**

Another lucky Representative(s) will have a chance to win a basket full of restaurant gift cards and other goodies. Tickets will be sold throughout LCAM 2019 for **1 ticket for \$10 or 6 tickets for \$50.** How many baskets (valued at \$100 or more) we have will depend on how many gift cards are donated. We are requesting that each Chapter donate at least one \$25 gift card. It can be for a national restaurant, gas, or even just a Visa or MC gift card that can be used anywhere. Individuals can feel free to donate too! The more gift cards received, the more baskets are made, the more opportunity we have to win and not have to cook! All gift cards can be sent to our LCAM Committee Fundraising Chair at the following address:

Jill Gaffney
PO Box 13443
Spokane Valley, WA 99213



Wednesday, September 18 – Saturday, September 21, 2019

CONFERENCE FACT SHEET

Conference Registration

Log in to ewiconnect.com to access conference registration.

\$650 – February 15 to June 14, 2019 – Early Registration

\$750 – June 15 to September 13, 2019 – Regular Registration

\$195 – Leadership Caucus

Host Hotel – The Pfister Hotel

Our hotel reservation link is located on our conference information website – www.ewiconnect.com/lcam2019. Chapters are encouraged to only book the amount of rooms needed at the time that they register for conference. To ensure that all EWI members are able to reserve a room within our room block, we will be monitoring conference registrations and hotel reservations to make sure that paying conference attendees are able to reserve a room at the hotel. If we have questions, we will be contacting members for clarification. Our host hotel is larger than the hotels we've had the past two years and there are a number of suites available for chapters based on hotel availability at time of booking.

Book by August 16, 2019 at our special rate of \$179 per night.

Transportation to/from Milwaukee Mitchell International Airport

The Pfister Hotel is located 5 miles North of Milwaukee (MKE). Taxi service, Shuttle Service(for hire), Uber and Lyft provide transportation to and from the airport. Fares ranges between \$10 - \$25 each way.

Conference Attire

Conference attire is Business Casual Attire. We encourage all attendees to be comfortable while representing their firms and chapters professionally. We will not be having any formal events so there is no need to bring along formal gowns or cocktail attire.

Saturday morning's Annual Meeting attire – Business Professional

Chapter Photographs

We will be offering professional headshots and chapter photo sessions throughout the conference. Incoming Presidents will have an opportunity to take a headshot during Leadership Caucus on Wednesday, September 19. More information to follow.

Leadership Caucus

This year's Leadership Caucus is a half-day of EWI basics, history, operations and important information for all Chapters. We invite all INCOMING President's and Presidents Elect to join us on Wednesday, September 18, 2019. All Leadership Caucus registrants will attend our Corporate Reading Rally in the morning. Those attending should plan to travel to Milwaukee on Tuesday, September 17, 2019.

Chapter PIN/Sticker Exchange & Sash Contest

We highly encourage chapters to bring a chapter/city pin or sticker with them to this year's conference to use when you interact and connect with other conference attendees. Traditionally, we've had a pin/sticker exchange at our opening reception and attendees continue to use them as the conference gets underway when meeting others. This year, we encourage all members to connect and network with as many EWI members as they can throughout the conference, beginning when you arrive. Please feel free to be creative and select something that represents your chapter and your hometown in the best possible way! We will also have a contest for the best chapter sash. More details forthcoming!

Academy of Leadership – Two Modules! Alumni Experience is Back!

On Thursday, September 19:

Option 1: Lori Giovannoni will present “**Lessons in Leadership – How to Motivate, Influence and Lead People to Action**”

Option 2: Kristi Emmons Jones will present “**Emotional Intelligence**”

Option 3: Alumni Experience – Exclusively for Academy of Leadership (AOL) Alumni, more details to come.

Keynote Speakers

Karen McCullough

www.karenmccullough.com

Change is Good... You Go First

The pace of change is accelerating and is more complex. Change is occurring more frequently, and can become overwhelming. Today we all need new tools and rituals to help us not only survive, but thrive in this world of technology, innovation, and disruption. In her keynote program, Change is Good, Karen empowers you with three critical steps to lead and inspire change. She will debunk several myths around motivating change while sharing the missing links to growing a culture of change and modifying behavior.

Whether your natural instinct is to embrace change or to run from it, this program is for you! You will leave with the tools to develop a “change mindset”. This will enable you to access new ways of communication, develop new skills, and make a shift in thinking. It's time to get excited about change. Are you ready see the opportunities change presents?

Jeffrey Butler

www.jeffjbutler.com

21st Century Leadership - How to Cultivate Leadership in Today's Workplace

Whether you a Baby Boomer, Millennial or Generation Xer, the same rule applies, leaders speak with their actions, not with their words. So, it's imperative that leaders understand how to stimulate action in adverse circumstances. Jeff dives deep into how the psychology of leadership works, debunking the biggest myths that are often preached about leadership. Mostly important, Jeff shows how anyone can develop leadership traits to create life-changing adjustments to get extraordinary results, whether that may mean getting a better following, group leadership, or inspiring others around you. For maximum impact, Jeff provides real-world, actionable tips to help attendees take immediate steps to apply his advice and his as leaders in their own careers.

Learning Points

- Project the right leadership image in person and online
- Discover the truth behind common leadership traits such as courage and purpose
- Avoid common mistakes of personal leadership and career advancement.

Reading Rally

Our Reading Rally will be held the morning of Wednesday, September 18th. Incoming Chapter Presidents and Presidents Elect attending Leadership Caucus will be attending the Reading Rally. More information on our school will be forthcoming. We encourage all chapters to collect books and bring them to LCAM.

Thursday Evening – Think Beach Boys, Hawaiian Food, Coconuts and Palm Trees

We encourage all attendees to pack their favorite beach apparel and plan to enjoy a night filled with party fun and food! More information on this event is forthcoming.

Questions??? – Any questions can be directed to the EWI Corporate Office at 262-269-5625 or Cortney@ewiconnect.com

EWI's Leadership Conference & Annual Meeting (LCAM)

1. Share your LCAM memories in next month's issue by submitting your photo, with year and location of the event to:
dgould@healthcoreclinic.org
2. Start making your travel arrangements for EWI's 2019 LCAM in Milwaukee, WI!





2019 Reading Rally-LCAM

- Wednesday, September 18, 2019
- Will include Leadership Caucus attendees and anyone who would like to come.
- Planning to visit Next Door in Milwaukee - <https://www.nextdoormke.org/about-us/>
- Will hold a chapter-wide book drive.
- Children are 2 months – 5 years old.
- Needs: Multi-cultural books – Level 1 – picture books and board books.
- Wish List: Backpacks for smaller children, toothbrushes and small tubes of toothpaste for their home-based advocates to distribute. Library rugs with number or letters on them – prefer 9' oval.
- Community Library on 29th Street is free to the community and any books for readers higher than level 1 are donated to this library. Every Thursday family members can come to the library and get books for free.
- Planning a local author to read to the children and local mascot to distribute bookmarks.
- Planning an activity for the children to do.
- We will have a large banner for all to sign.



Happy Birthday to YOU!!!

No June Birthday's



We post the chapter meeting minutes on our EWI Wichita website at <https://ewiwichita.org/>

ABOUT EWI

Established in 1938, EWI is a non-profit organization with more than 1,900 member firms and 2,200 representatives in major cities throughout the United States and Canada.

EWI brings members together to promote member firms, to enhance personal and professional development, and to encourage community involvement.

As a premier organization for networking and leadership development for today's business professionals, EWI offers professional development through its Academy of Leadership, scholarships, online learning, and philanthropic initiatives with a focus on literacy.

EWI also provides over 600 board positions to women on the corporate and chapter level annually. For more information, visit ewiconnect.com.

Corporate Connections

Board of Directors

Our board members lead and guide our organization and represent Chapters from across the country. Below is our 2018-2019 Board.



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Submission deadline:
July Issue ~ 7-3-19

Upcoming Chapter Meetings

Third Wednesday of each month
unless otherwise noted

June 19, 2019

6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Firm Night

Sedgwick County Zoo

5555 Zoo Boulevard

July 17, 2019

5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Newman University

Alumni Center

August 14, 2019

5:30 PM

Executive & Scholarship Night

Wichita Marriott

9100 Corporate Hills Drive

Chapter Board Meetings

Second Wednesday of
each month

~All members are welcome~

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